International Conference on European Copyright Law: Towards a European Copyright Code?

Workshop The Cyprus reality copyright enforcement

University of Cyprus
Department of law
Nicosia, April 14th-15th, 2011

Venue:

University of Cyprus Main Auditorium, 75 Kallipoleos Avenue, Nicosia, Cyprus

1st day: April 14th, 2011

8h00-8h30: Registration.

8h30-9h00: Welcoming addresses.

1st session: The ways of European copyright harmonization

Chair: Konstantinos Combos, University of Cyprus

09h00: The legal foundations of European copyright harmonisation: Theodoros Georgopoulos, University of Reims

09h20: The strategy of European legislator in field of copyright harmonization: Frank Gotzen, K.U. Brussels and K.U. Leuven

09h40: The ECJ policy and practice in the field of European copyright law: Dionysia Kallinikou, University of Athens

2nd session : The acquis of European copyright harmonization

Chair: Bernt Hugenholtz, Univesity of Amsterdam, Director of IVIR (Institute for Information law)

10h00: The concept of work: Tatiana Synodinou, University of Cyprus/ Aristotle University 10h20: Economic rights: Agnes Lucas Shloetter, Ludwig-Maximilians University of Munich

10h40: Discussion

11h10 : Coffee break

11h30: Exceptions and limitations: Christophe Geiger, Director of the CEIPI (Centre d'Etudes Internationales de la Propriété Intellectuelle) - University of Strasbourg

11h50 : Duration : Heiki Pisuke: University of Tartu, Council of the European Union 12h10 : Enforcement of copyright : Pilar Camara: Universidad Autonoma de Madrid

12h30: Discussion

13. 00 Lunch break

3rd session: The gaps of European copyright harmonization

Chair: Andre Lucas, University of Nantes

14h30 : Authorship : Antoon Quaedvlieg: University of Nijmegen

14h50: Moral right: Ioannis Kikkis, Copyright law expert

15h10 : Copyright contracts: Silke Von Lewinski, Max Planck Institute for Intellectual property, competition and tax law

15h30: Collective management: Michaly Ficsor, Former Assistant Director of the World Intellectual Property Organization in charge of copyright and related rights, President of the Hungarian Copyright Experts Council

15h50: Discussion

16h30: Coffee Break

16h50 : The fight against illegal downloading: Valérie Laure Benabou, Université de Versailles Saint Quentin en Yvelines

17h10: Interoperability: Carine Bernault, University of Nantes

17h30 : Private International law: Nikitas Hatzimihail, University of Cyprus

17h50: Discussion

18h15: End of the 1st day

2nd day: April 15th, 2011

4th session: The accomplishment of European copyright harmonization

Chair Victor Nabhan: President of ALAI

9h00: General introduction: Victor Nabhan

9h10 : Copyright law and *droit d'auteur* (civil law) tradition: Alain Strowel, University Saint-Louis

9h30: The perspective of introduction of a European « fair use » clause: Paul Torremans, University of Nottingham

9h50 : The European Copyright Code of the Wittem project : Bernt Hugenholtz, Univesity of Amsterdam, Director of IVIR

10h10: Coffee Break

10h30: Round table on the topic of copyright codification in Europe (Andre Lucas, University of Nantes/ Reto Hilty, Director of Max –Planck Institute for Intellectual property, competition and tax law, University of Zurich, University of Munich /Jacques de Werra, University of Geneva)

11h30 -12h15: Discussion

12h15- 12h30 Break

Workshop: 12h30 – 15h00: The Cyprus reality copyright enforcement In cooperation with the Cyprus-American Business Association and U.S. Embassy Nicosia

12h30 - 12h45: Welcoming addresses

Welcoming address by U.S. Embassy Representative Welcoming address by CyABA Representative

Chair: Achilleas Demetriades, Advocate

12h45-13h00: Eugene Danilov, Business Development Manager, Microsoft Central and Eastern Europe HQ

13h00-13h15: Representative of the artistic community

13h15 -13h30: Vicky Christoforou, Counsel of the Republic of Cyprus

13h30 -14h00: Discussion

14h00 -15h 00: Cocktail Lunch

15h00: End of the 2nd day – End of the conference